

## El Llanto (The Tears) ( [Audio])

### Textual Transcription

Ayudemos, almas, en tanto penar, a la Virgen pura de la Soledad. Al pie de la cruz la vemos que está la Madre sin Hijo porque ha muerto ya. Se aumenta su pena de ver a Jesús, que no hay quien lo bajede la Santa Cruz. Crece su dolor, pues no halló un sepulcro para sepultar a su Hijo difunto. Tanta es su pobreza, que no hay un sudario para recibirsu cuerpo sagrado. Tres necesidades tiene esta Señora, pero Dios le envía quien se la socorra.

### English Translation

Let us help, souls, in such suffering the pure Virgin of Solitude. At the foot of the cross we see the Mother is without her Son because he has died. Her pain grows seeing Jesus, for there is no one to lower him from the Holy Cross. Her pain grows, she can find no tomb to inter her departed Son. Such is her poverty, that here is no shroud to receive his holy body. Three needs has this Lady, but God has sent someone to help her.